

Wheatdale July 29, '54

Dear Br. Garrison:

¹⁰⁰ We exceedingly regret that
you can not be with us on the 1st, & think you
could do much more good here than there, as
many would gladly hear you. That never lead
you before. I have written Mr. May that he
must make arrangements to let you off,
but have not dared to announce you. I am
glad Henry C. is coming & if you should see
him to day I wish you would impress it
upon him not to fail. He & Sojourner, I pre-
sume, will be all the foreign speakers we
shall have.

As to your little Fanny, we shall
be very happy to have her visit us for a
few weeks! We think of being absent from home
for a season, in the course of three or four weeks,
otherwise we should be glad to have her with
us as long as you suggest. But we think
you will let her come as soon as convenient,
& we will arrange the matter as to the time
of her stay according to our circumstances. We

Some expect you to bring her, in company with your
wife, on Thursday next! And whilst she is here,
I hope you will find it convenient to visit this re-
gion of a Sunday; & if you will authorize me
to make an appointment for you where I
think the cause will be the best served I
will soon do so. We shall look for little Mary
soon; & we will endeavor to take good care of
her. Perhaps we can make some arrangement
for her continuance here during our absence, if
it should seem to you desirable - this matter how-
ever we can decide hereafter. Warmly, but

Fraternally Yours

Wm. H. Fish

Mrs. Lydia Garrison